



RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2171  
Docket No.: 122.1445

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Masanobu KANAZAWA

Serial No. 09/811,466

Group Art Unit: 2165

Confirmation No. 7961

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Examiner: Brian D. Goddard

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Attention: BOX AF

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 28, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on December 28, 2006.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.